IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 1 and 7 have been amended, claim 6 has been canceled and claims 8-11 have been

added as follows:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A curable composition comprising:

- (i) a compound (A) having at least two unsaturated groups which are activated for Michael addition,
- (ii) a compound (B) having at least two activated hydrogen atoms,
- (iii) a tertiary organic alkyl phosphine (C), and
- (iv) a carboxylic acid (D).

Claim 2 (original): A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the molar ratio of the unsaturated groups from the compound (A) and the activated hydrogen atoms from the compound (B) (former:latter) is in a range from 4:1 to 1:4.

Claim 3 (original): A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the tertiary organic phosphine (C) is present in an amount of 0.1-10% by weight.

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Claim 4 (original): A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the carboxylic acid
(D) is present in an amount of 0.05-10% by weight.

Claim 5 (original): A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the carboxylic acid
(D) is a saturated fatty acid having a molecular weight of 80 or less.

Claim 6 (canceled)

Claim 7 (currently amended): A crosslinked coating obtained from the curable composition according to claims 1-6 claim 1.

Claim 8 (new): A crosslinked coating obtained from the curable composition according to claim 2.

Claim 9 (new): A crosslinked coating obtained from the curable composition according to claim 3.

Claim 10 (new): A crosslinked coating obtained from the curable composition according to claim 4.

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Claim 11 (new): A crosslinked coating obtained from the curable composition according to claim 5.